Sinclair Broadcasting has no right to force its affiliates to show and anti-Kerry film at all, much less right before the elections.

This is a broadcast group that refused to show the Sept 11th commemorative list of the dead soldiers because it was "too controversial" and yet an anti-candidate hit piece right before the election is not "too controversial"?

This is the kind of thing that is going to happen more and more with media consolidatioin: giant groups feeling free to force their (pro-big business) opinions on us all.

TV stations use the public airwaves free of charge. In exchange they are obligated by law to serve the public interest.

Sinclair's actions show why we need to strengthen media ownership rules, not weaken them. They show why the license renewal process needs to involve more than a returned postcard.

Stop them from forcing a one-sided view on the public that pays for equal treatment, and stop giant media conglomerations from forcing propaganda down their affiliates' - and the public's - throat!

Thank You Rosalie Howarth